

Barkdulls Feted at Anniversary Party Friday

Complimenting Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Barkdull on the occasion of their 20th wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Myers and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Doan entertained Friday evening at a bridge party in the latter's home, 2203 Torrance boulevard.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Russell Budge, of Glendale, C. Howard of Pasadena, N. Bernard of Alhambra, T. T. Babbitt of Redondo Beach, D. A. Murphy, L. H. Deinger, L. M. Fenley, Baker Smith, Sidney Smith, R. A. Bingham, Nick Cucci, R. S. Sleeth, W. H. Stanger, Jack Snow, honorees and hosts.

At the conclusion of bridge play the Barkdulls were presented with a lovely gift from the assembled guests and prizes in bridge were awarded. Messrs. Stanger, Snow, Budge, Messrs. Baker Smith, Cucci and Budge.

BLALOCK-MILLER WEDDING SUNDAY

The lovely home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Nelson, 21236 Figueroa, furnished the setting for the wedding of Miss Mildred Miller of Midway City and Wallace J. Blalock of Wilmington, last Sunday.

Rev. James Sewell, pastor of the Church of Christ in Santa Ana, cousin of the groom read the service in the presence of some 160 persons.

The bride was gowned in white tailored suit with powder blue accessories and carried a prayer book on which rested an orchid and lilies of the valley. She was given in marriage by her father, Joseph Miller, Mrs. Dora May Place, sister of the bride as matron of honor, was gowned in tailored suit of powder blue with white accessories and wore a corsage of gardenias.

Diminutive Beverly Blalock, three year old niece of the groom served as flower girl. She was dressed in pale pink organdie and wore a hat of Cent Bruner roses.

William R. Blalock, twin brother of the groom served as best man. Miss Dorothy Pratt of Anaheim played the wedding march and accompanied Mrs. Lillian Johnson and Don Johnson of Ventura, who sang. Following the service, supper was served in the gardens of the Nelson home and the pair left for a brief honeymoon. They will reside in Wilmington.

PARENT EDUCATION STRESSED AT P. T. A.

Mrs. W. E. Sheppard, director of home service for the District Parent Teachers, as guest speaker at Elementary Parent Teachers Association meeting Tuesday afternoon stressed the value of Parent Education and urged the forming of such a class in this city.

Children of the lower grades presented the school program under the direction of Sylvia Nelson and Mrs. E. Russell. Nancy Ann Whyte, Beverly Hopkins and Ann Callimore appeared in costume to give a delightful rendition of the Dutch dance and Irish jig. Nancy Ann Whyte gave a reading "The Doctor."

Mrs. Harold Smith presided at the meeting, which was held in the school auditorium and attended by 100.

Tea was served at the close. Mesdames Rufus Page, Dewey Quigley, Tom Ulrich and W. Massey served as hostess group.

ART CLUB PLANS SATURDAY EXCURSION

Torrance Art Club held its May business meeting at the high school last Thursday evening. A number of fine water colors by Froda Dann of Los Angeles, were displayed.

The monthly excursion has been planned for Saturday, May 21. This excursion will include a visit to Pomona College to view the famous Orozco and portraits by Einar Hansen and a visit to Mission Inn at Riverside.

SUNDAY BRIDE



MRS. WALTER E. SCHLICK... she wore postman blue

Miss Christensen Weds Walt Schlick at Parent's Home

In a simple ring ceremony performed at the family home, 1520 Marcelina avenue, Beatrice Christensen became the bride of Walter E. Schlick last Sunday morning. Rev. C. M. Northrup, pastor of the First Baptist church, read the service in the presence of the immediate families.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father J. M. Christensen, was stunning in tailored suit of postman blue with powder blue accessories and corsage of white orchids.

Dorothy Reddington, only attendant to the bride, was dressed in tailored suit of gray with blue accessories and corsage of pink gladioli and delphinium. Ray Schlick served as best man to his brother and Conrad Christensen, brother of the bride played the wedding march.

Will Live in Los Angeles

A wedding breakfast for the 25 present was served immediately following the ceremony. Seated at the bride's table were Mr. and Mrs. Schlick, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Christensen, Mrs. Peggy E. Schlick, mother of the groom; Ruby and Ray Schlick and Dorothy Reddington.

After a honeymoon in the mountains the couple will return to 1520 Marcelina avenue. Later they will establish their home in Los Angeles. Both young people have a host of friends in this city. Mrs. Schlick has for years been in charge of the American Beauty shop. The groom was for years a teller at Torrance National Bank and is now employed in one of the branches of Bank of America in Los Angeles.

KELTON HOME SCENE OF LUNCHEON FRIDAY

Mrs. Edith Weiss, Mrs. Ida Jennings and Mrs. Charles Kelton were hostesses when they entertained at luncheon in the latter's home, 720 Border avenue, Friday.

The affair was given as a courtesy to officers of General Adams Woman's Relief Corps of Hawthorne and Mrs. Susan Beach Martin, pioneer member of Burnside W. R. C. No. 194 Ashland, Oregon, who recently celebrated her 92nd birthday. Luncheon tables were decorated in all white with covers placed for 30.

COUPLE WILL WED ON COLLEGE CAMPUS

Frances Louise Granger of Victorville has chosen June 10 as the date for her wedding to John B. Young, 1601 Gramercy avenue. The wedding will be held in the Little Bridges chapel on the Pomona College campus. Miss Granger, daughter of the late Mrs. Ruth Granger is a graduate of Pomona College. Mr. Young is a graduate of Stanford and has for the past few years been employed at National Supply company.

BRIDE-ELECT FETED AT LUNCHEON SHOWER

Mrs. O. B. Key, 25 La Linda Drive, Long Beach, entertained at luncheon and miscellaneous shower in her home today honoring her grand-daughter, Olive Bell Huber, whose wedding to John B. Schroeder will take place at the same address, Sunday, June 12.

Covers were placed for Mrs. R. A. Huber, Miss Marjorie Huber, Mrs. R. B. Schroeder, Mrs. E. M. Johnson, Mrs. C. Johnson, Mrs. O. A. Kresse, Miss Jean Kresse, Mrs. Frank Steinhilber, Mrs. George Bradford Jr. and Olive Bell of Torrance, Mrs. Frank Huber, Mrs. Antone Huber, Mrs. Irene Passino, Mrs. Julia Hohn, Mrs. Armon Hohn all of Los Angeles, Mrs. Stella Vlott, Nellie Glasgow and the hostess of Long Beach.

A. L. A. FIDAC BANQUET TUESDAY

Misses Coral Linderman, Marion Spiegher, Martha Reeves, Patty Post, winners in the Fidae essay contest recently conducted at Torrance high school, Miss Irene Mills, supervisor of advanced English, Dorothy Jamieson, Julia Cucci and Grover C. Whyte who served as judges will be honored guests at a banquet to be held in the American Legion hall Tuesday evening at 8:30 p. m.

Special entertainment has been secured. Members may bring guests. Reservations not later than Saturday at 5:00 p. m. Phone 497.

TROTH TOLD



VIRGINIA C. WATSON... tiny cards told friends

Virginia Watson's Summer Wedding Plans Announced

Virginia C. Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Watson announced her engagement to William E. Kratt of Menlo Park, at a tea given in the Hotel Fresno, Saturday afternoon.

Tiny cards engraved with the names of the bride and bridegroom, who plan to marry in early summer were presented to guests as they entered the hotel ballroom by Barbara Lee Watson, sister of Miss Watson.

Receiving with the prospective bride were Grace Summerbell of Beverly Hills, who was an Alpha Omicron Pi sorority sister at the University of California at Los Angeles, Mrs. George D. Watson, of this city and Mrs. Edwin C. Kratt of Fresno.

Miss Watson has been head of the music department of Fresno high school for the past five years, has served as music chairman for the Fresno Club National Business and Professional Women and is a past president of the central section of the music supervisors conference for the state.

Mr. Kratt is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. Kratt of Portland, Oregon, a graduate of Lynfield College and the University of Oregon and Stanford University, where he was a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

TODAY'S FASHION TIP... It's a "knitted spring," with designs ranging from sports clothes to evening gowns.



MRS. BETTINA MILLER... president

Using the impressive candle-light service Bessie Stewart president of Los Angeles District Federation National Business and Professional Women installed officers of the Torrance club at their annual banquet held in the Hermosa Beach Biltmore, Monday evening.

Bettina Miller was seated as president, Lola Hoover as first vice-president, Julia Lynn McManus, recording secretary; Edna Mullin, corresponding secretary; Ruby Brown, treasurer, and Sabina Abramson, auditor.



MRS. LOLA HOOVER... vice-president

Mrs. Addie Parks, who relinquished the gavel of authority Monday evening was rewarded for her untiring services during the year when Mrs. Miller, the new president, presented her with a past-president's pin, a gift from the club. Corsages were presented to incoming and outgoing officers, gifts were exchanged by "whosits" whose identity was revealed during the evening.

A program of exceptionally fine music presented during the evening included three tenor solos by Dale Marshall of Redondo Beach. Mme. Teala Biliardi rendered a group of piano selections.

LOMITA KOSMOS INSTALL OFFICERS

Members of the 13-year-old Kosmos club in Lomita enjoyed a hilarious installation of new officers Saturday night at the home of Miss Birda Paddock on Narbonne avenue. A dinner and regular meeting preceded the amusing rites which included Phyllis Ada Anderson and Alvine Uman employed to induct Jewell Frederick as president succeeding Mrs. Uman, Eunice Wood, vice-president; Fanny Pirner, treasurer, and Miss Paddock, secretary.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY (Continued on Page 4-B)

STAR DEPT. STORE Notice of Extension QUITTING BUSINESS SALE Due to the Large Stock of Clothing and Ready-to-Wear Still on Hand which Must be Closed Out, We are Extending our QUITTING BUSINESS SALE in These Departments Until May 31. Men's ARROW BRAND SHIRTS 97c, Men's PANTS and SLACKS \$2.49, Women's SILK DRESSES 99c, Women's HATS 29c.

Couple Wed In St. Anselm's Church Monday Evening

The marriage of Lucille Agnes Finlayson, 1936 West 67th street, Los Angeles, to Raymond W. Rogers, 2215 Andreo avenue, was solemnized Monday at 8:00 p. m. in St. Anselm's church, Los Angeles, by the Rev. Father John J. Huseley.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, L. G. Finlayson, was gowned in frock of powder blue with dusty rose accessories and carried an old fashioned bouquet. Caroline Rademaker of South Gate, cousin of the bride, as maid of honor wore a gown of dusty rose with powder blue accessories and carried an old fashioned bouquet.

Triste Briganti of this city served as best man for Mr. Rogers. Ted Gestalt, friend of the families played the wedding march.

Following the ceremony a reception for 50 including the immediate families and close friends was held at the home of the bride's parents. The pair left for a brief honeymoon at Palm Springs after which they will be at home to their friends at 2215 1/2 Andreo avenue.

FIREMEN HOLD TURKEY DINNER

Members of Engine company No. 2 stationed at Walteria enjoyed a turkey dinner and social gathering last Saturday. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames J. J. Bonner, W. R. West, W. C. Silence and son Neal, James Lowther, William Roy and Charles Bryan and Lloyd Crowther, Miss Pankey and Lyle Sage.

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